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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

### TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Mail Stop PCT **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a request for filing a patent application under 35 U.S.C. 371 of the international application identified below:

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE			
PCT/US2005/001170		January 14, 2005			
APPLICANT(S)/INVENTOR(S)					
FIrst Name	Middl	e Name	Family Name		
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TITLE OF THE INVENTION					
Fermentation Processes					

- 1. This is a first submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).
- 3. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- 4. The application contains the following parts:

Specification	30 Pages
Abstract	1 Pages
Sequence Listing	0 Pages
Drawings	3 Pages
Total	34 Pages

- 5. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) have not been made and will not be made.
- 6. An application data sheet is enclosed.

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- 7. The benefit of U.S. provisional application no. 60/537,071 filed on January 16, 2004 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(e).
- 8. An Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith.
- 9. A Preliminary Amendment is submitted herewith.
- 10. The assignee of the present application is:

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Applicants request that the assignee information be included in the published patent application.

- 11. Direct all correspondence to Customer Number 25908.
- 12. The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):

Basic Fee:	\$300.00
Examination Fee:	\$200.00
Search Fee:	\$500.00
Size Fee (\$250 for each 50 pages above 100)	\$0.00

#### **CLAIMS FEE**

Total Claims: $20 - 20 = 0 \times 50 =$	\$0.00
Independent Claims: 2 - 3 = 0 x 200 =	\$0.00
Total Claims Fee:	\$0.00
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE	\$1,000.00

13. Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$1,000, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 14, 2006

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APPLICANT(S) FOR RO/US: Costable at al.

#### **EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE**

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Sir:

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I hereby certify that the following attached papers or fee

- 1. Transmittal Letter to the DO/EO/US (in duplicate)
- 2. Application Data Sheet
- 3. Preliminary Amendment

are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the address indicated above.

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